organic farms for rice, sugarcane, passion fruit and pineapple have been set up in the North Eastern region.

(d) and (e) Development and progress of AEZs, development of newer infrastructure facilities and quality upgradation are some of the ongoing and need based activities which will continue to be implemented as per the policy of the Government.

Cleanliness around CGHS Dispensaries in Residential Areas

2266. SHRI RAMA SHANKER KAUSHIK: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in CGHS dispensaries where flats have been constructed above the dispensaries for residence, no cleanliness is being done, in the absence of clear-cut earmarking of authority whereby patients going to dispensaries and residences residing in the above dispensaries, particularly, Netaji Nagar CGHS Dispensary suffer from unhygienic conditions;

(b) whether Government propose to earmark the authority for cleanliness within the boundary wall of the dispensaries; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA): (a) to (c) Maintenance of the cleanliness of the dispensary premises within the boundary wall is the responsibility of CGHS. They are also regularly cleaning the premises' through their staff deputed for this purpose.

Maintaining cleanliness in the Government flats above CGHS dispensaries is the responsibility of the allottees.

Measures to curtail Population Growth

2267. MISS MABEL REBELLO : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that by the year 2050 India would have the

dubious distinction of being the most populous country in the world;

(b) whether Government plan to adopt some innovative measures to curtail the population explosion in BIMARU States; and

(c) whether Government believe that with the development of infrastructure and improvement in quality of life all its citizens would try to limit the size of the family?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA): (a) The projected population of India and China as per United Nations publication (World Population Prospects-1998), for the year 2050 is 1529 million and 1478 million respectively.

(b) Yes, Sir. An Empowered Action Group (EAG) has been constituted in the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare to facilitate the preparation, implementation and supervision of area-specific programmes for the States of M.R, U.P. Bihar, Orissa, Rajasthan, Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh and Uttaranchal. A new Budget Head of "EAG Schemes" with an outlay of Rs.'250 crores in the 10th Five Year Plan has been approved for addressing the unmet needs in these States only.

(c) Yes, Sir.

Urology Departments in Hospitals

2268. SHRI KARNENDU BHATTACHARJEE: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Urology Departments are functioning in Safdarjung and Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital;

(b) if so, the budget allocation for these Departments during the Ninth and Tenth Plan periods, year-wise for each hospital;

(c) the funds allocated, actually utilized during the last five years; and

(d) the steps proposed to be taken to ensure optimum utilization of the funds?